Aeromexpress, S.A. DE C.V.
5795 W. Imperial Highway
Los Angeles, CA 90045

CITATION AND NOTIFICATION OF PENALTY

We believe that you violated the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. § 2131 et seq.) (AWA), as described below.

Date of Violation: September 22, 2009

9 C.F.R. § 2.78(c) Health certification and identification. No intermediate handler or carrier to whom any live dog, cat, or nonhuman primate is delivered for transportation by any dealer, research facility, exhibitor, broker, operator of an auction sale, or department, agency, or instrumentality of the United States or any State or local government shall receive a live dog, cat, or nonhuman primate for transportation, in commerce, unless and until it is accompanied by a health certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian in accordance with paragraph (a) of this section, or an exemption issued by the Secretary in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section.

> Aeromexpress accepted a shipment of 19 live puppies without proper health certificates from the dealer. The health certificates were received on September 23, 2009 via FedEx. Aeromexpress failed to ensure the health certificates accompanied the live animal shipment before accepting the live animals.

The penalty for the alleged violation(s) described above is $1,536.